

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

**Application Serial No:** 10/751,354 **Confirmation No.** 2231  
**Date Filed:** January 5, 2004  
**Application Title:** Active Esters Of N-Substituted Piperazine Acetic Acids,  
Including Isotopically Enriched Versions Thereof  
**Applicants:** Dey et al.  
**Group Art Unit:** 1624  
**Examiner:** Ebenezer O. Sackey  
**Action Type:** Office Action – Non Final  
**Action Date:** March 26, 2007

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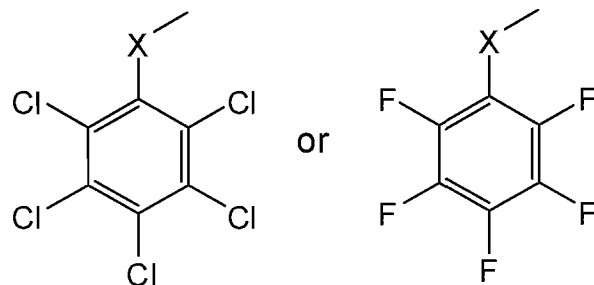
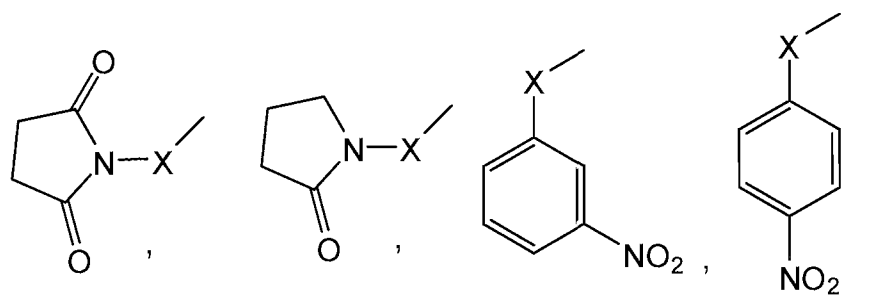
**Interview Summary under 37 C.F.R. § 1.560**

Commissioner for Patents  
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Dear Sir or Madam:

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.560, entry of the following summary of the discussion between Examiner Sackey and attorney Gildea is requested.

On August 22, 2007, Brian Gildea (Reg. No. 39,995) and Examiner Sackey discussed the restriction requirement and possible claim amendments that might be acceptable notwithstanding the restriction requirement. Subject to additional searching, Examiner Sackey and attorney Gildea agreed to the following list of active esters as being a basis for further prosecution of the application.



Respectfully submitted  
on behalf of Applicants,

Aug 27, 2007  
Date

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